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### CREAM OF NEWS.

IF IT IS NEW AND TRUE THIS COLUMN HAS IT.

Closing Speech of the Campaign—Election Returns—Prisoner Escapes—Bird Law—Registration.

No One Arrested.

Covington, Ky., Oct. 28.—The published report that a man named Pug Javins has been arrested as one of the egg throwers is not correct. Chief of Police Pugh declares he is close after the right man.

Cadiz Deaths.

Cadiz, Ky., Oct. 27.—Jas. P. Hancock died here of typhoid fever on the 23rd inst., aged 22. Mr. Hancock was an esteemed young man, industrious and worthy. His parents reside in the country a few miles. Mrs. J. L. Burba died here of consumption on the 25th, aged 46 years.

Eloped From Princeton.

Princeton, Ky., Oct. 28.—Mr. Gus B. Baker, a prominent druggist of this city, and Miss Mattie Bond, one of Princeton's belles, left on the midnight train for Paducah, where they were married to-day at the Palmer House. It was quite a surprise to their numerous friends.

Carlisle Loses His Vote.

Louisville, Oct. 28.—Mr. Carlisle will not vote next Tuesday, though the law would have permitted him to qualify himself by registration. He has spent the last two days in Louisville, and as this is the last day of the supplemental registration he loses his vote.

Burned to Death.

Owensboro, Oct. 28.—News has reached here of the burning of the fine residence of Booker Robertson at Cleopatra, in McLean County. A lamp exploded in the hands of Mrs. Ellen Howard, who was burnt to a crisp. She died yesterday from the burns. Loss on the house, \$2,000; insurance unknown.

The Election Returns.

All arrangements have been perfected to give the returns in full at the Opera House next Tuesday night. Everybody who is interested would do well to come in early and have their seats reserved. It will probably be known by 11 o'clock who will be the next president. The price of admission is but 25 cts. and seats can be reserved at Galbreath's without extra charge. Remember that the house will be opened at 6 o'clock and remain open all night.

November 15th, the Date.

As there seems to be some confusion as to the date of the bird law, we will state that there has been no change in dates. A bill was passed by the last Legislature prohibiting the shooting of quail in the state for two years, but the measure was killed in the senate and the law remains the same. It is unlawful to kill, capture, or have in possession quail between Jan. 1 and Nov. 15. They may be killed only between Nov. 15 and Jan. 1. Birds are said to be very plentiful this season and sportsmen will have six weeks of fine shooting.

Escaped From Jail.

Ed Dabney, col., who was serving a term in jail for carrying a pistol, escaped Tuesday evening about 6 o'clock and is still at large. Dabney was a "trustee" and had the freedom of the prison hall during the day. When Kinney Tyler, the colored deputy, went up to Dabney's cell to put in a bucket of water the prisoner passed out of the outer door and scaling the high fence was soon out of sight. The matter is in the hands of the police and the chances are that Dabney will be caught and returned to serve out his sentence unless he pays the necessary amount.

"Jolly Old Chums."

The coming of "Jolly Old Chums" to the Opera House on next Wednesday evening means lots of fun to the individual who is blessed with the luck of procuring a front seat. Probably the history of this latter day style of entertainment, nothing has created more hearty, wholesome merriment than this record-breaking farce. Although in its fifth season, it is in more demand than ever. It is the kind of an entertainment that most people like. Not a jumble of nonsense, but a well defined plot, embracing all the humorous situations, pretty music, all the latest songs, a corps of pretty girls who can dance. Don't miss it.

Three more houses were destroyed Saturday night in Franklin county, and the keeper was notified that if they attempted to collect any more toll the house would be blown up or burned.

### THE LAST REPORT

SHOWS THAT WILLIAM JENNINGS BRYAN WILL BE ELECTED

By the Largest Popular Majority Ever Given Any President in Twenty-Five Years.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—Chairman Campau, of the Democratic National Campaign committee, received to-day in response to instructions issued some time ago, telegraph reports from twenty-nine Democratic state chairmen, giving estimates as to how the states will record their votes one week from to-day, based on the latest information received by the state committee. This is the last formal report that will be made by the state chairmen. After compiling the advices received Chairman Campau made the following statement to the United Associated Presses.

"The Democratic National Committee awaits the result of next week's election with serene confidence. William Jennings Bryan will be elected by the largest popular majority given any president in a quarter of a century. He will have more than 300 votes in the electoral college. Our reports from the middle western states show the effect of his wonderful campaigning tour through them. His majority will be increased by many thousands by his journey. The following States will give their votes to Bryan, without a shadow of a doubt: Alabama, California, Florida, Idaho, Indiana, Kansas, Louisiana, Michigan, Mississippi, Montana, Nevada, North Dakota, South Carolina, Tennessee, Washington, Utah, Wyoming, Arkansas, Colorado, Georgia, Illinois, Iowa, Kentucky, Maryland, Minnesota, Missouri, Nebraska, North Carolina, Oregon, South Dakota, Texas, Virginia and West Virginia. Total electoral vote 283.

"In addition to this our chances of success in the following states are more favorable than the republicans: Delaware, Ohio and Wisconsin; total 38.

Latest From Washington.

Washington, Oct. 28.—The Democrats are claiming Bryan's election this morning by 320 electoral votes. According to their figures they will carry all the states in the Middle West except Iowa and Wisconsin, and even these two states, they say, are doubtful.

The Democrats will give no figures as to their representation in the next House, but with a wonderful nerve claims that Bryan's election carried with it a free-silver majority in the popular branch of Congress. These wild eyed claims only produce merriment at Republican headquarters and among the sound-money Democrats.

GOLD BUG'S AFFIDAVIT.

Case Laid Over Because Bryan's Election Will Raise Values.

South Bend, Ind., Oct. 27.—In court yesterday Andrew Anderson made affidavit to secure a continuance in a case for the settlement of an estate. He alleged that the property is now worth probably \$50,000; that the owner is indebted for \$30,000, and that should the property be sold now it would not bring much more than \$40,000. He wanted the case continued until after the election, alleging that if Bryan was elected the property would be worth probably \$80,000. Anderson has been making gold speeches and the affidavit causes considerable talk.

MARRIAGE AT CALHOON

Of Sweethearts Who attended the Georgetown Press Meeting.

Calhoon, Ky., Oct. 29.—There was quite a surprise in society circles in Calhoon last night, caused by the marriage of Mr. W. M. Robertson and Miss Katie Swint. The young couple left the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. Geo. F. Swint, saying they were going to the Baptist church to hear Rev. J. S. Coleman preach, but instead quietly went to the residence of Judge Landrum where Mr. Robertson presented a marriage license and requested that the judge unite him and Miss Swint in marriage, which Judge Landrum did as soon as he could recover from the surprise incident to Mr. Robertson's request.

Mr. Robertson is postmaster at Calhoon and is a worthy young man, popular and held in high esteem by all. Miss Katie is a most popular and charming young lady who has always been a great favorite in the community. She is the daughter of Mr. Geo. F. Swint, the editor of the Star, and both she and Mr. Robertson share the esteem of everybody.

Mr. Robertson owns a neat and convenient residence on Main street and he and his wife have gone to house-keeping there where they are at home to their friends.

### ON TO VICTORY.

BRYAN MAKING A DOZEN SPEECHES A DAY IN CHICAGO.

Great and Enthusiastic Crowds to Greet Him Everywhere—Eggs Thrown at Him Tuesday.

Chicago, Oct. 28.—Twice this afternoon the largest hall in the business district of Chicago was filled literally to suffocation with people to hear William Jennings Bryan. Outside on the lake front and streets adjoining, unable to gain admission, were crowds that would have filled the hall twice again. Eight other large meetings were addressed by Mr. Bryan before midnight in various parts of the city. The most important gathering of the series was the big noon-day meeting of business men at Battery D armory, on the lake front, and probably next in point of interest was the great meeting for women in the same place a couple hours later. Long before the hour for the business-men's meeting Battery D was packed.

The seats had been removed from the body of the hall and the audience stood solid shoulder to shoulder. The great girders that supported the roof furnished seats for a number of venturesome admirers and the galleries were packed. The hall was crowded to its utmost limit. Gen. G. H. Howard called the meeting to order. Mr. Bryan received an ovation that lasted more than five minutes and bid fair to continue indefinitely.

Gen Howard obtained the attention of the audience, however, by saying that Mr. Bryan asked one question, whether those present were all business men. A thousand voices answered, "Yes," and in the lull that followed one man's voice rose clearly as he said: "We mean business." (Cheering.)

The crush at the afternoon meeting even exceeded that of the noonday meeting. Fainting women were carried from the hall every few moments. For two hours before Mr. Bryan arrived it was impossible to obtain admission and thousands gathered on the lake front in the hope of participating in an overflowing meeting, but this was impossible owing to Mr. Bryan's many engagements. The nominee's appearance upon the stage was greeted with a mighty shout of applause. Hundreds of ladies in the audience had small American flags and as they cheered they waved the flags in unison. Just as Mr. Bryan was about to begin his address he noticed a large number of men in the windows and on the roof of the building, and, fearing danger, he declined to proceed till the roof was cleared. His speech was on lines made familiar by him on previous occasions and was in the main a general discussion of the financial issue.

Mr. Bryan made eight other speeches before midnight.

Chicago, Oct. 27.—The beginning of William Jennings Bryan's campaign in Chicago and Cook county, the most earnest fight of his three months' hard work, came with a rush and a roar that lasted from afternoon until early midnight. He reached Chicago from Alton at 3:30 o'clock and was conveyed immediately through the streets crowded with people to Battery D. on the lake front where he made his initial speech in the battle for ballots in the Illinois metropolis.

The most sensational incident of the day occurred just before the escort procession reached the armory. Eggs were thrown at a candidate from a building on Monroe street, and while he and Mrs. Bryan escaped the missiles, members of the local reception committee, marching beside their carriage, were bespattered with golden stains. The chief of police has offered a reward of \$500 for the person or persons concerned in the affair and much indignation is felt among Mr. Bryan's supporters here.

To-night the Democratic nominee addressed five meetings in different parts of the city. He spoke first at Arcade hall, Sixty-five and Wentworth streets and 7 o'clock was whirled away in a carriage to Boulevard hall, Fifty-fifth and Halsted streets, and addressed in turn audiences in Polish School hall, Thirty-third and Laurel streets; in a big tent at thirty-third and Halsted, and at Tatterstall's, Sixteenth and State streets.

HON. POINDEXTER DUNN.

Last Speech of the Campaign for Silver.

Hon. Poindexter Dunn, of Arkansas, will speak at the court house to-morrow afternoon at one o'clock. Mr. Dunn is said to be one of the finest orators on the stump. He will close the campaign for the Democratic side in this city and a great crowd should turn out to hear him.

C. & N. Train Wrecked.

Gallatin, Oct. 26.—Chesapeake & Nashville train No. 1 was wrecked near Westmoreland to-day. Four freight cars, one passenger and one mail car were derailed. Only two passengers suffered any injuries and these are not seriously hurt. Only meagre reports can be obtained, as there are no telegraphic communications.

### OODLES OF BOODLE.

MONEY WITHOUT LIMIT TO BE TURNED LOOSE.

Hanna's Fund To Be Used On The White Floaters And To Buy Election Officers—Same in Hopkins County.

If anybody doubts for a moment that an enormous sum of Hanna's corruption fund is to be spent in this county, his doubts will soon be dissipated by the boldness with which the money is being placed. The Kentuckian has known for some time where several advance installments of \$50 each had been placed. This money was intended to spend in treating and hiring the floaters to "whoop 'em up" for McKinley before the election. Deposits of this kind were made in all the precincts about ten days ago by the "official organizer" for this district, who hung around Hopkinsville for four or five days.

This week the main apportionments are being made for corruption purposes on election day. We have the most reliable information that \$800 has been sent to Fairview to be used in the strong Democratic precincts of Perry's School House and North Pembroke, which meet at that point. As there are 28 precincts, this lavish expenditure would indicate that about \$20,000 is to be used in this county. This money is not to be wasted on the negro voters. They are regarded as the property of the Republicans and the party lash is now being cracked over their backs and they are tumbling over each other to get into line and vote to kill the farming interests of the country, although many of them are now working on the farm at from 12 to 20 cents a day. The Republicans laugh at the idea of the negroes voting against the gold standard. They have been told by the hired speakers how to vote and this is all the attention that will be paid to them. The corruptionists find it cheaper to buy the leaders than to fool their away money on the rank and file who are afraid not to vote as they are told. The boodle is to be used on the white vote. Those that can be purchased are to be given from \$10 to \$25 each to stay away from the polls. Many of the farmers have been reduced to destitution under the gold standard prices for their produce and they are poor and needy. The bribers calculate that a \$20 gold piece will influence many of them to stay at home and surrender their right to vote for the interests of their wives and children. These are the votes that are to be influenced. It is said that Republicans and Boltsocrats, who are hail fellows well met, are now canvassing the Perry School House district, and no doubt others as well, and locating all suspicious and venal voters. No doubt the bribes are being offered and the confidence with which the gold conspirators here in town are claiming the earth would indicate that they expect many of the poor people to sell their votes for money to buy bread.

But not all of the money is to be used to buy votes. Some is to be saved to buy such officers of the election as can be purchased. In several precincts men who were appointed as Democrats are already understood to be for McKinley and others are under suspicion. It is not believed that many Democrats can be bought in this way, but good and true men will be appointed as challengers and inspectors and all suspected parties will be closely watched.

Evidence is accumulating that things are to be carried with a high hand and nothing but the vigilance, the patriotism and the honesty of the people can thwart the desperate schemes of the political conspirators who are under the control of Hanna and his allies.

Same Thing In Hopkins.

The Madisonville Mail tells of the movements of the "organizer" in Hopkins county:

Wednesday a sleek and oily individual came to Madisonville and stopped at the Hotel Belmont. For reasons of his own this person did not enter his name upon the hotel register, nor did he make his identity known to the hotel people. He was well-dressed, well-fed and had plenty of money. He was very quiet, having nothing to say to the guests of the hotel. He was a very mysterious individual. He made no acquaintances, and his business here was known only to a very select coterie of kindred spirits. He went out at night when honest folk were a-bed and kept his bed when others were abroad. He made midnight trips, going and coming when night hid his movements; slipping out with the stealth and silence of a midnight assassin. The mysterious actions of this man were observed by a friend and the Mail was given

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